THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH): The latest available DGCI&S data is as under:—

(US$ Million)

	1999-2000 (Apr.-Dec.)	2000-2001 (Apr.-Dec.)
India's Global Exports	26804.18	32066.60
Exports to China	386.97	570.61
India's Global Imports	35030.60	38225.14
Imports from China	917.57	1107.12
India's Global Trade	61834.78	70291.74
India-China Bilateral Trade	1304.54	1677.73

Tax Rebate for Internet users

4151. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that MTNL proposed tax rebate for internet users;

(b) if so, the details of the proposal; and

(c) what is the final decision taken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

Release of telephone connections in Fatehpur, Bihar

4152. MISS FRIDA TOPNO: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of applicants of Fatehpur village, District Patna, Bih^r are waiting for telephone connections since long;

(b) if so, what &re the details in this regard;

(c) what are the reasons for not providing telephone connections;